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APPLICANTS INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Dear Sir:

Applicant provides herewith the following Interview Summary to be made of record in the above-identified case:

Participants: Examiner Gebreyesus and Applicants' Representative, Gary Baker.

Dates of Interviews: July 28, 2009 and August 3, 2009.

Interview Type: Telephonic.

Claims discussed: Claims 1, 12 and 17.

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner Gebreyesus called (July 28, 2009) suggesting that claim 1 may be allowable if it were limited to embodiments wherein the O-tRNA suppressed an amber or AGGA anticodon. These are two embodiments reduced to practice. The Examiner also appeared to agree written description is adequate for any stop codon suppressor.

Later, Mr. Baker called Examiner Gebreyesus back and suggested the written description should be considered adequate at least for O-tRNAs suppressing at least all 3 or 4 codon mutants. Mr. Baker further pointed out that written description

support was extensive for 3, 4 or more base suppression using O-tRNAs having the suppressing anticodon between CU and AA.

July 31, 2009, Examiner Gebreyesus left phone message suggesting Examiner's amendment to allowance. August 3, 2009, Mr. Baker called examiner Gebreyesus to authorize Examiner's amendment "wherein n is an integer" to line 12 of claim 1.

Mr. Baker appreciates the reasoned dialog provided by the examiner. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would further expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 510-769-3510.

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gary Baker", is written over a horizontal line.

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